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Japanese war doc admits cutting up live Filipinos

By Mainichi Daily News

AN 84-YEAR-OLD FORMER HIGH-RANKING Japanese military doctor has revealed that he vivisected living people in Mindanao with a military doctor during World War II.

Akira Makino said he cut up live people to avoid the end of World War II as part of human experiments. He is preparing to speak about his

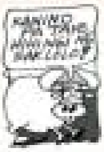
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Cops in drug buy-bust busted for 'extortion'

By Alcuin Papa



PHILIPPINE DRUG Enforcement Agency (PDEA) chief Dionisio Santiago was fuming in the month yesterday of his four police officers who were to conduct an

COPS/A8

Binay wins Round 1 as court issues TRO

Cheers greet 60-day freeze on suspension order

By Armand N. Nocum, Tarra V. Quismundo, Jocelyn R. Uy and Norman Bordadora

BURSTS OF CHEERING ripped the air, couples danced and some wept after the Court of Appeals yesterday stopped Malacañang from enforcing its order suspending Makati City Mayor Jejomar Binay from office.

The 60-day temporary restraining order (TRO) issued by the appellate court was the latest blow suffered by Malacañang in its legal confrontation with opposition forces that have challenged President Macapagal-Arroyo's authority.

On the 21st floor of the Makati City Hall, Binay shared with allies his moment of victory, including former Senators Loren Legarda and Rene Saguisag, evangelist Bro. Eddie Villanueva, members of civil society, militants, and leaders of groups supporting former President Joseph Estrada and the late actor Fernando Poe Jr., whose presidential bid Binay supported in May 2004. (See story on Page A8.)

In an eight-page ruling, the court's 12th Division said it found merit in Binay's claim that due process was not followed in his case.

"Wherefore, let a temporary restraining order issue effective for

BINAY/A18



IN THIS CORNER: Makati City Mayor Jejomar Binay comes down from his 21st floor fortress to thank his supporters after securing a temporary restraining order against the Palace-issued preventive suspension order. Now the Palace says the Ombudsman can proceed with another case against him.

Palace hails 'timely' order, denies setback

By Gil C. Cabacungan Jr., Norman Bordadora and Dona Pazzibugan

PREPARING FOR THE WORST, the Armed Forces yesterday placed some 1,500 troops on standby in case they were needed to suppress any outbreak of violence in Makati City.

They were not needed, after all.

Finding redeeming value in its latest court defeat, Malacañang yesterday welcomed the Court of Appeals decision stopping the Arroyo administration from suspending Makati Mayor Jejomar Binay.

The Palace suggested the ruling cleared potential trouble in the standoff at the city hall of Makati, the country's premier financial district.

"We welcome the CA decision. I think it is timely, considering the situation at city hall," said Presidential Chief of Staff Michael Defensor.

Defensor did not see the TRO as a setback, saying this was all

PALACE/A18

GMA tells SC justices Cha-cha a must

By Christine O. Avendaño, Juliet Labog-Javellana and Norman Bordadora

PRESIDENT MACAPAGAL-ARROYO LAST NIGHT told Supreme Court Chief Justice Artemio Panganiban and his foreign counterparts of her administration's determination to make Charter change happen in order to build a modern Philippines.

At the dinner for the delegates to the Global Forum on Liberty and Prosperity held at Malacañang, the President said her administration could only create a modern Philippines by slaying the dragon of politics as usual.

"Politics dominates our lives way out of proportion to the real needs of the people and a change in politics must be accompanied by a change in our system of government."

"To that end, we seek to amend our Constitution so as to modernize it if we are to build a modern Philippines."

Global Forum is made up of chief justices, jurists, law experts and members of the law academe from 33 countries.

Its meeting is currently going on until today at the Shangri-La Hotel in Makati City under the sponsorship of the Philippine Supreme Court.

The President's remarks came amid suspicions that some of the pressure being exerted on the Supreme Court to decide favorably on the people's initiative case to change the Constitution was coming from Malacañang.

This after Rep. Joker Arroyo said yesterday that the pressure on Panganiban and the other justices of the high court could only be coming from the Palace and the House of Representatives, led by Speaker Jose de Venecia and administration congressmen.

Arroyo made the comment af-

GMA/A4

Yap not fit to lead DA, says solon

By Philip C. Tubeza

ARTHUR YAP IS "UNFIT" TO BE agriculture secretary and should not have been reappointed to his former post, a party-list lawmaker said yesterday.

Akbayan Rep. Loretta Ann Rosales said the tax evasion case against Yap and his father might have been dismissed, "but there are far graver issues and more important questions that he has failed to satisfactorily answer," including a graft charge filed by murdered journalist Marlene Esperat.

"Congress should exercise its oversight function to question this appointment," Rosales said.

Malacañang announced on Wednesday night that President Macapagal-Arroyo had appointed Yap, director general of the Presidential Management Staff, to the top post at the Department of Agriculture in place of the yet to be confirmed Domingo Panganiban.

Yap had held the agriculture portfolio from July 8, 2004, to June 30, 2005, when he quit in connection with the tax evasion case that was subsequently dis-

YAP/A4

17 ABS-CBN execs face 'Wowowee' homicide raps

By Armand N. Nocum

A FIVE-MEMBER PANEL FROM the Department of Justice yesterday recommended that charges of reckless imprudence resulting in multiple homicide and physical injuries be filed against 17 ABS-CBN executives and employees in connection with the deadly stampede in February at the PhilSports Arena in Pasig City.

Those recommended charged included Willie Revillame, host of the noontime game show "Wowowee," Ma. Rosario "Charo" Santos-Concio, ABS-CBN vice president for entertainment; Ma. Socorro Vidanes, senior vice president for television production; Marilou Almaden, executive producer, and Cipriano Luzpe, assistant vice president and head of security of the network.

In an 88-page resolution, the investigating panel led by Senior State Prosecutor Leo Dacera said the stampede on Feb. 4—on the first anniversary of "Wowowee"—was generally caused by negligence on the part of the show organizers.

"It cannot be said that the stampede was a fortuitous event or *force majeure*, or an accident caused by criminal acts of third persons, force, beyond their control, and for which nobody should be liable," the resolution read in part.

The panel concluded that the show organizers had failed to implement the necessary measures

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HOUSING FOR POOR

RP's Habitat world's No. 2 home builder

By Volt Contreras

WAY TO GO FOR THIS "VOLUNTEER-friendly" shelter program.

Thanks to its volunteers in white shirts and other committed partners, the Philippine chapter of Habitat for Humanity has become the "No. 2" home builder for the past year out of the over 100 countries now covered by the 30-year-old Christian housing ministry.

HFH-Philippines yesterday said it was able to complete up to 5,500 low-cost housing units in a single year nationwide, making it the biggest Habitat builder "in terms of efficiency and capacity" second only to its US counterpart, which builds 5,000 units.

The group reached this record among the global Habitat affiliates last year, Alberto Jugo, HFHP president and chief executive officer, said at a press conference held yesterday to mark National Shelter Month.

Since Habitat was established in the country in 1988, some 15,000 shelters in well-planned communities—from single-detached bungalows and duplexes to townhouses and medium-rise "condos"—have been made available at affordable rates to former slum dwellers.

RP CHAPTER/A8



ROBERTO ARENAS married Christine Ochoa on Thursday at the Santuario de San Antonio in Forbes Park. His mother Rosemarie "Baby" Arenas and Speaker De Venecia walked him down the aisle. President Arroyo led the power-packed wedding sponsors but romance conquered all.

Second FRONT PAGE

Insurgency to persist, says general

Abalos: 'Techies' to decide fate of automated polls

By Christian V. Esguerra

AS FAR AS THE COMMISSION on Elections is concerned, whether or not there will be partially automated elections next year depends on a panel of experts that is set to meet this morning.

Flunkers, not cheaters, are on 'retake' list

Vasectomy making T'boli a vanishing tribe

Pro-life solons want 'morning-after' pills banned

Senga to head gov't TV; Apostol is GMA legal counsel

By Gil C. Cabacungan Jr. and Christine O. Avendaño

Not the first time

Consolidate gov't media

Yap not fit . . .

'Obviously political'

Suspicious

Yap to reduce gov't subsidy for fertilizers

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Too close to call

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Del Castillo, PDI top libel lawyer; 65

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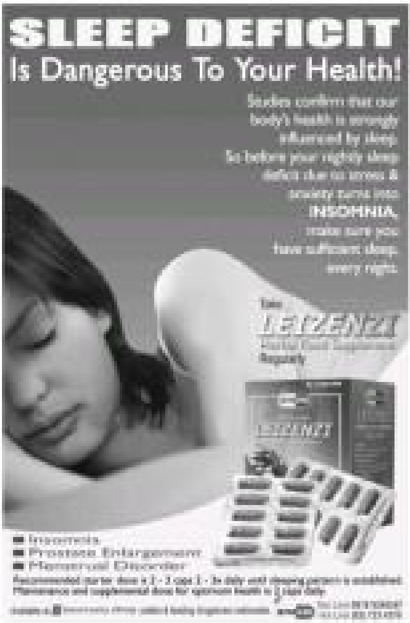
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Jimmy Carter in Cavite



Sweat equity

Values



A woman's tears in hour of victory

Price of victory

Braver than he



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Other respondents

Separate probe of Pasig mayor



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ARE THEY OR AREN'T THEY?

Buy-bust operation

AIDSOTF inquiry



Japanese war doc admits cutting up live Filipinos

'I did something cruel'

Suspected spies

30-50 victims

Battle of Leyte



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Round 1

Unverified, wrong forum

Injury to petitioner

Shower of confetti

First on InqT.net

Blow to 'bullheadedness'

Businessmen relieved

By Darlen L. Lucas

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Nothing new

Troops on alert

Terror threat

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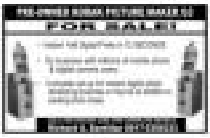




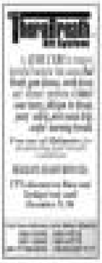


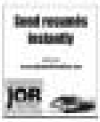


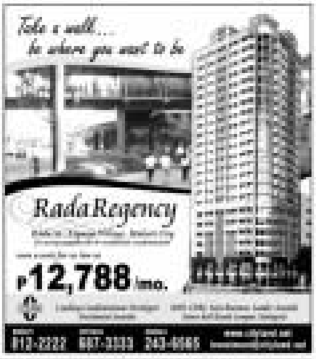




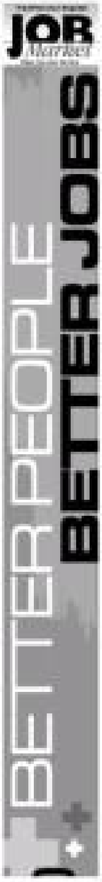
















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Why the haste against Binay and Co.?

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Needed: laws to improve public service

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US projects stopped after kidnappings

ZAMBOANGA CITY—SULU GOV. BENJAMIN LOONG WARNED the kidnappers of three engineers and a driver that they face untold consequences if they do not release the captives immediately.

'Just turn over to us all the victims safely'

DENR stops operations of Palawan mining firm

Other violations

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Senator says Sorsogon destruction 'enormous'



Troops stumble on NPA camp in Quezon



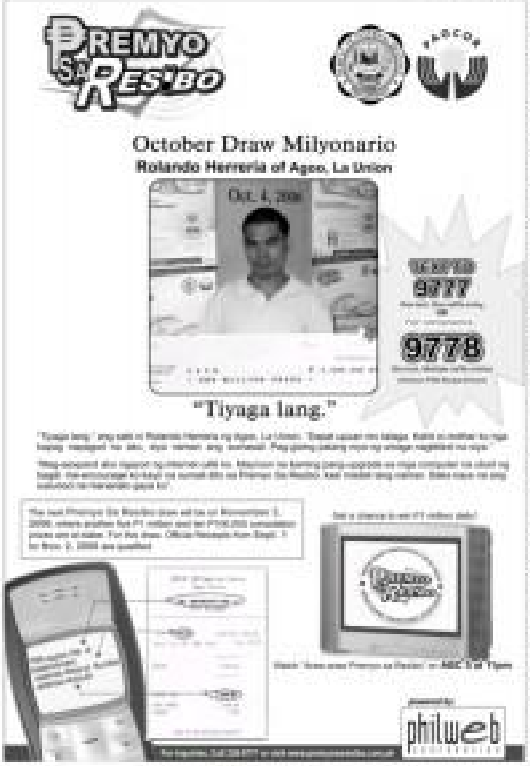


Cops, troops, residents block farmers in caravan

NBI raid on Internet gaming office bares illegal gambling in Clark area

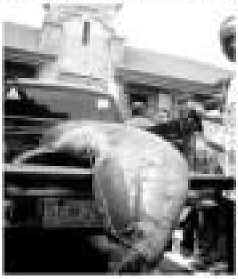
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Pangasinan mayor with 8 graft raps faces suspension





THE CARCASS

Experts tell villagers how to rescue dolphins

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'METRO IS SAFE'

Text on terror? Pass it to PNP

POLICE YESTERDAY CAUTIONED THE JITTERY PUBLIC not to take seriously cell phone text messages warning about terror attacks on malls in Metro Manila.

Bill seeks to ban racial, religious profiling

By Philip C. Tubeza

Civilian comptroller for AFP eyed

By Philip C. Tubeza

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Tutors, unions seek PCU prexy's ouster

Top official, board members asked to account for school funds

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DPWH vows speedy dismantling of billboards



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Rizal hospital delivery room still closed; repair work stalled

By Edson C. Tandoc Jr.



A healer in more ways than one

Satisfied patients

Universal religion

Worker dies, another hurt in park mishap

Mayors won't talk about Binay suspension order

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MetroBriefs

Ban on plastic ware

Alphan convention

Tutors . . .

Did you know

Bush affirms parallel between Iraq, Vietnam

But says no plan to change Iraq strategy as 10 US soldiers are killed in a single day



WorldBriefs

Israeli cluster bombs still killing Lebanese

McCartney hits back against wife's allegations

US military trials ordered in Iraq murder cases

PM admits Ethiopia has troops in Somalia

Nigeria president declares state of emergency in state

The WORLD

Nokor signals 2nd test despite furor

SEOUL—NORTH KOREA SIGNALED THURSDAY it would ignore demands to stop testing atom bombs, as US Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice held crisis talks with Asian allies to get the defiant regime to stand down.



Immigrants' money flow to LatAm surges

7 US funeral homes admit to organ trafficking



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Red Lions, Warriors dispute title

Asiad heroine Mikee lights up torch relay









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Morfe dropped; Briones in



Street drive touches off final AF3 grind

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3-way battle for Touring Car plum



Poor start by Filipinas in World Am

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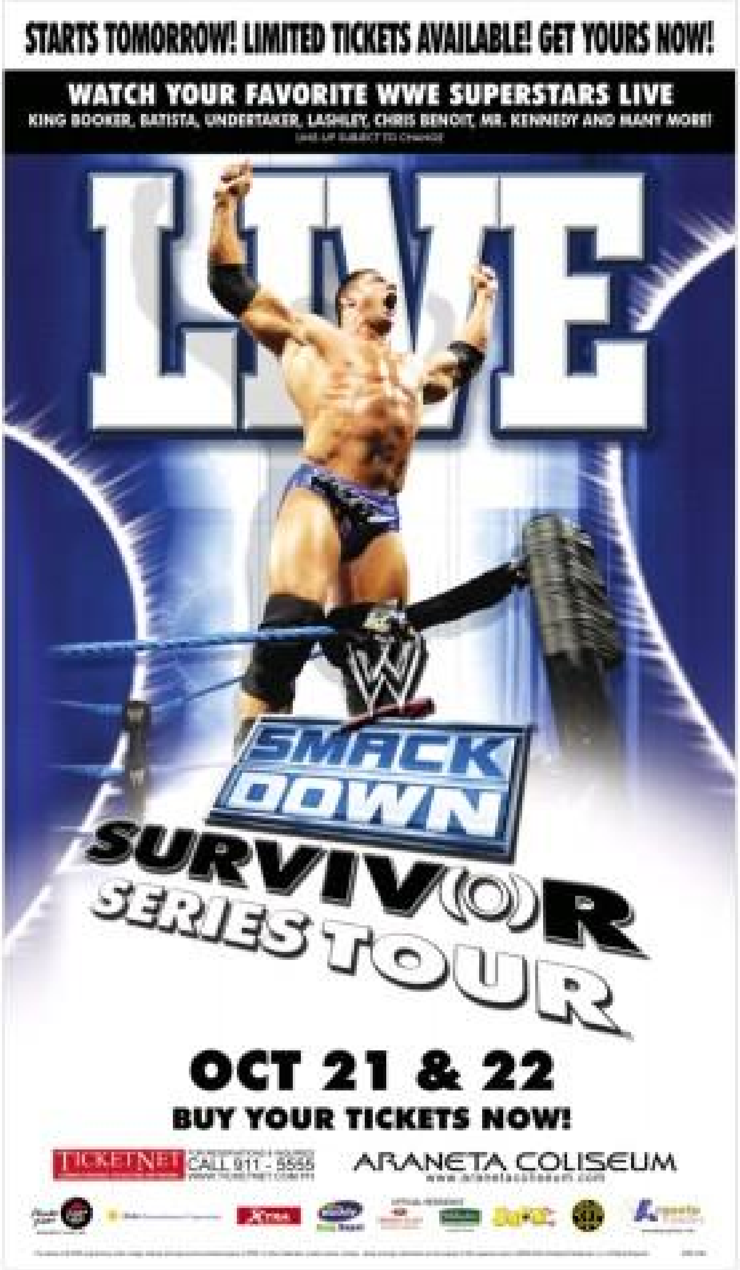
Tagaytay Highlands duplicates Carmona ladies' romp in Group Two

By Ernesto A. Gonzales

Pagadian five rips Cellular for 3rd win

Golf Show opens at Megamall today

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Mets nip Cards, forge do-or-die

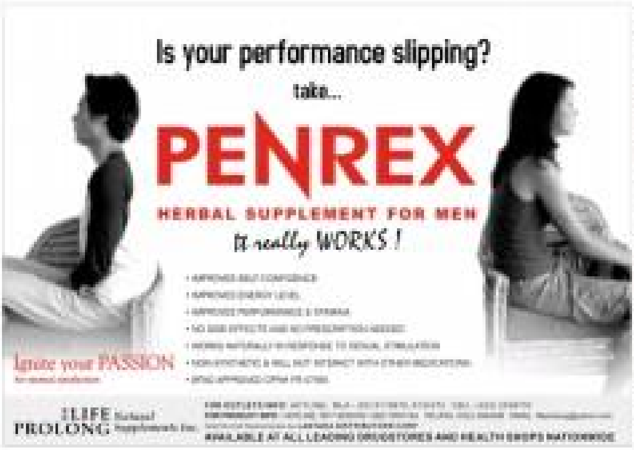
Nadal advances, 4 seeds tumble





University of Luzon five nails Prisaa cage title

PSC shuttlers capture GCAA crown again



BUSINESS

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SHARE PRICES YESTERDAY CLOSED 1.99 PERCENT HIGHer, pushing the index to its strongest finish in seven years, buoyed by investors' bullish sentiment toward the country's economic outlook.



Gov't saved ₱17.2B in interest payments in 9 mos.

Debt servicing, infrastructure, social services spending slightly exceeded target in Sept.

MVP-Zobel hamburger detente

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Victor C. Agustin

Fast-to-cash

Follow the money

Money-go-round

Heard through the grapevine

PAL borrowing $600M for fleet upgrading plan

PAL ...

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The event also launches the much-anticipated modernization of the flag carrier's single-aisle fleet.

The new fleet features a 21st-century redesigned cabin that is the first for an Asian carrier, state-of-the-art passenger amenities, and a new coastal-themed interior design.

Other guests—including Vice President Noli de Castro, Foreign Affairs Secretary Alberto G. Romulo, Transportation Secretary Leandro R. Mendoza, Trade Secretary Peter B. Favila and Tourism Secretary Joseph H. Durano—will join President Arroyo at the roll-out ceremonies to be held at the main hangar of Lufthansa Technik Philippines in Pasay City.

PAL Chair and CEO Lucio C. Tan, vice chair and treasurer Mariano Tanenglian, and president and [illegible] will welcome the President to the event. -AP

Bullish trade seen to boost GDP

Meralco to start negotiations with Napocor

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Export to South Africa, RP urged

By Christine A. Eugenio

SOUTH AFRICAN AMBASSADOR PETER ... [illegible]

With money must come accountability

By Ernesto M. Ordoñez

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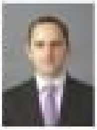
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Zesto eyes IPO in HK



Money in the Bank



BusinessFriday

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JOHNSON Ongking, Willy Ong, Boysen operations director Timothy Upiccio, and IT manager Justin Ongpin.

More than just tints and hues

Country's oldest paint company hopes to color more countries

By Margie Quimpo-Espino

THE NEXT TIME YOU PICK up a can or container of imported paint over a local one, take a step back and consider this: The country's largest paint

St. Luke's gears for $40-B global medical tourism industry

Medical tourism

Centers of excellence

Advanced research

More patients

Clark: Through ashfall and tax incentives

TAX-FILES



Affluent don't want to bother with choices

Privilege is not having to think, study says

New stops at Westgate Center Alabang

More than just colors and hues



Not everyone lost power during Typhoon 'Milenyo'



RP urged to tap second home market

BUSINESS *Friday*

Online brand health check – part II



Open house on entrepreneurs' course set on Oct. 26

BUSINESS *Friday*



81 makers show off goods in Bicol trade fair

In 2005, Bicol exported $45 million worth of bags, decors, accessories, paper items

Inquirer Southern Luzon

LEGASPI CITY—THE Department of Trade and Industry here is in its final preparations for 81 Bicol manufacturers and their products to take center stage at the Orgullo Kan Bicol trade fair on Oct. 19-22 at the SM Megamall Trade Hall 1 in Mandaluyong City.

The Bicol word "orgullo" means heritage or legacy.

Buyers and the public can

Masskara: Festival fuels local enterprise

TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS AFTER BACOLOD City put on a sea of smiling masks and called it the Masskara Festival, local entrepreneurs are brimming over with business opportunities.

Pastry business

Handicrafts

Making Manileños say 'manamit'

Ilongga chef brings her culinary talents to the big city



Al Dente success

Villa Regatta

Secrets to success

81 makers ...



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LIFESTYLE

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FASHION



We've got game!

FASHION BUZZ
Hot, haute, hot news!



ANDY WARHOL

Shopping's poster boy

FASHION MEETS ART once again as international retail giant Barneys (shopping mecca to the rich, famous and ultra-stylish) celebrates the upcoming holiday season with a full-blown campaign revolving around iconic pop artist and now shopping poster boy Andy Warhol.

Barneys is definitely giving the star treatment to the eccentric artist with the show-stop. The holiday campaign encompasses visual display, direct mail and advertising. The retailer's Madison Avenue windows plus other flagship stores and co-ops will be all about Andy. The artist will even be featured in advertising for Warhol-related merchandise such as a collection of Levi's jeans and a hooded sweatshirt with a banana print.

That's not all. Warhol gift cards, undoubtedly on their way to becoming collector's items, will also be available in the store. Even shopping bags will carry prints of the artist's works, as well as his signature running down the side. Fittingly, the store's shopping catalog will be dubbed "Happy Andy Warholidays!"

FASHION C4







THE STAN Smith Slade W Hoo in deep magenta from the Adidas heritage Fall-Winter '06 Sleek footwear collection



THE PRO Model Sleek W Lux in green from the sexy, fashionable and functional Adidas heritage F/W '06 Sleek footwear collection

Sweat it out in style



THE ADIDAS heritage line combines sport authenticity with street style and edge.

GONE ARE THE DAYS WHEN sweats, hooded jackets, trainers and sneakers were reserved only for the gym or the track and field. With the advent of Madonna and Paris in their trendy tracksuits, or Sporty Spice (remember the Spice Girls?) in her funky sports-inspired getups, plus the constant search for comfortable yet stylish clothing, sportswear has evolved into fashionable basics that can be worn in different, albeit casual, ways.

Sports continues to inspire fashion (or is it the other way around?), and nowhere is this more evident than in Adidas Sports Heritage Original's latest collection. The Original line of clothing combines sports authenticity with street-style edge, and represents the vision and passion that Adidas founder Adi Dassler brought to the brand.

Originals is an authentic lifestyle brand with true fashion appeal. It marries not only comfort and style but also a vintage feel and a modern look. The collection features an innovative footwear concept that reinterprets Adidas Originals such as the Pro Model, Superstar, Flint Search and Country 72.

The result: the Adidas Sleek series featuring four new models with a sexy and feminine appearance.

Then there's also the Premium Basics line, offering apparel and accessories for women who appreciate refined detailing and stylish construction. In keeping with the theme, all shapes and silhouettes of the line's easy-to-wear basics refer back to classic styles from Adidas' past.

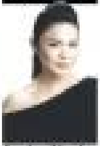
And to complete the collection, there's City Pack, a series that pays tribute to some of the world's major metropolitan areas. Playing with colors, graphics and a mix of executions, the City Pack features cities like Paris, Buenos Aires, Moscow, Milan and New York on track tops.

The tops show the names and characteristic graphics of the cities and are coordinated with other apparel and footwear through the use of colors and graphics.

Nowadays, sweats, hooded jackets, trainers and sneakers can be worn outside the gym and as everyday casual wear. It's easier to combine style and comfort, fashion and function, thanks to Madge, Paris, et al, and iconic sports brands like Adidas that continue to innovate and offer options for style-savvy but still practical individuals.

Email the author at [illegible]

APPLES' PICKINGS



Apples Aberin-Sadhwani

Sportswear has evolved into fashionable basics that can be worn in different, albeit casual, ways



FASHION and sports meet anew in the Adidas Fall-Winter collection.



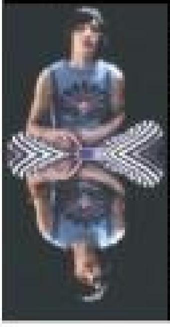
TRACK jackets, tanks tops and shoes from the Sleek footwear line for women. Pro Model Sleek W Tee in light beige seen here.

Photography Kai Huang using Mikon d2x
Styling Mimi de Leon
Makeup and haircare Joy Mapaya of Corral Paris
Hair Vincent Quinn for Corral Paris Studio Loo
Shot on location at The Podium rooftop



Electric indigo is now a major hue in the fashion color wheel, and is a current fave of celebrities and style icons as well

Indigo calling





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Designer merry-go-round





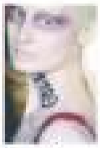


FASHION BUZZ

Hot, haute, hot news!

From ball gowns to beddings





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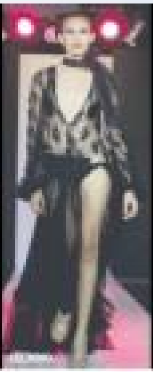
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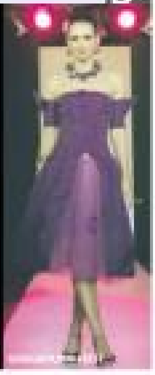
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Runway ABCs

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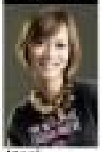






YOU'LL ALWAYS FIND ME IN the front row of a fashion show. It's akin to having the best seats for the best view in a Roman coliseum, right before the lions rip the gladiators apart.

Mabuhay!



Jenni Epperson

In the front row of a fashion show, you hobnob with the emperors and queens of the fashion and social empires. At times the ripping apart happens here, even before the show begins!

But that's not the main reason I stay in the front lines. I have made it a habit to get a good view for the simple reason that I get to see the clothes better. I get to scrutinize the finer details of the ensembles up close.

For the ongoing Metrowear series, I found myself in the front row once more, but this time it wasn't reminiscent of a Roman coliseum. It was more like a high-school classroom (where as we all know, a lot of verbal ripping apart happens, too). That's because I worked my ABCs in grading this segment's three designers, namely Lulu Tan Gan, [illegible] and [illegible].

An 'A' for Lulu

My highest marks and [illegible] thanks go to Lulu Tan Gan, who gets an 'A' for [illegible].

Tan Gan is a connoisseur of contrasts. In this collection, she masterfully works with black and white palettes, soft and hard silhouettes, tailored and romantic structures.

[illegible]

[illegible]

The ensembles were inspired, a fresh take on office wear, and could very well go from the boardroom to the VIP room. This collection was ideal for the [illegible] working woman who works hard and plays harder, and not for the [illegible] types.

I must also note that Lulu [illegible]

Overall, Tan Gan's collection was attuned to the working woman's needs and more. [illegible]

She also works with a team of young professionals [illegible]

[illegible]

CATCH METROWEAR Series 3 featuring Randy Ortiz, Anthony Nocom, Jearlsinki Asoros and Joey Samson on Monday, Oct. 23, 6:30 p.m., at The Loft in Rockwell.

Lulu Tan Gan rates an A for Astuteness



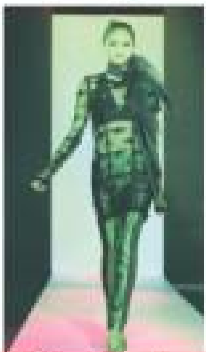














Jun Escario scores a B for his Bejeweled Beauties



Runway ABC

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Escario chalks up a 'B'

That's "B" for "Bejeweled Beauties." Glass stones, crystal beads, jeweled neck details...Jun Escario's collection was about sparkle and shine. [illegible]

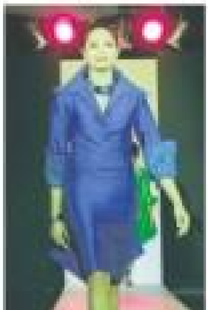
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Goulbourn-Feist shows a 'C'

I give Katrina Goulbourn-Feist a "C" for [illegible]

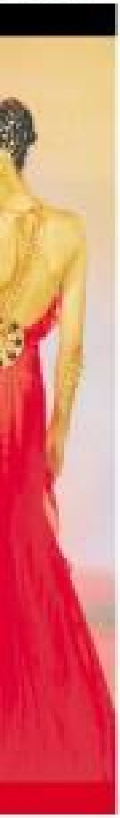
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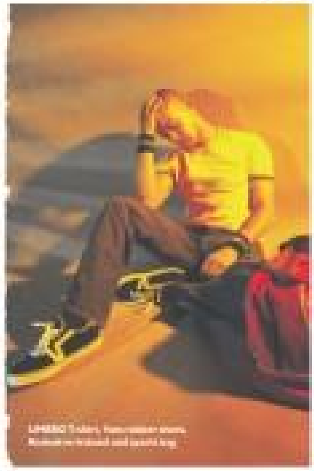


Katrina Goulbourn-Feist earns a C for Cojones and Canary-Yellow Couture

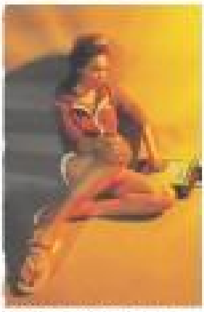




TYR bathing suit, Plain polka dot bolt used as a headband, Cru rings and bangles, Reebok rubber shoes



UMBRO T-shirt, Nato rubber shoes, Mizuno wristband and sports bag



REEBOK hoodie and shorts, Rockport slippers, Cru bracelets and necklace, Jones's Donut vintage chokers, Reebok shoulder bag

Sportin' good

From page D4

about the high-tech materials they are being used for today's athletic wear. The basic cotton tee alone isn't only practical for the tropical weather; it also fits perfectly into the Filipinos' casual lifestyle. And what better to shod yourselves than sturdy rubber footwear? It's not so much a trend as it's now part of daily lifestyle.

Sportswear as streetwear is about making it your own. It's about blending your own personal style so that the most basic tee emblazoned with a Swoosh or three stripes doesn't end up looking like the one facing the next guy's back.

Guys, for one, should stay clear of tees that are three sizes bigger than their normal body size because, seriously, wearing a T-shirt with a hem that grazes your knees looks cool only if you have a multi-platinum hip-hop album. Go loose!

And unless you're off to shoot hoops, keep your high-cut Air Jordans in your lockers and get a style that's more tailored for daily wear. Sporting goods stores now classify footwear according to the sport the shoes are intended for. Go straight to the "lifestyle" shelf; these shoes are made for walking. If in doubt, ask.

Accessories. It may seem like a bit much to ask guys to do this, but we're not saying you keep blinding heavy-chain bling from your neck. We're thinking more along the lines of a trim belt, or a small silver chain on your belt loops, a simple watch or a leather or bead bracelet, or even an classic wristband.

For girls, being the girls that they are, they have it easier as they know just how far a feminine sneakers combo will take them. It's not only an easy look, it also says effortless ease and sexy, quite a break from the seemingly high-maintenance baggage wrought by the image of overly made-up, stiletto-shod fashionistas.

So, sport, what's your game?

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Sportin' good

Sportswear has transcended the sweaty confines of the gym and has become an integral part of mainstream fashion

By Cheche V. Moral

THE RE-emergence of vintage-style athletic apparel and footwear in the past seasons is clear evidence that athletic wear is no longer just the domain of the fitness types.

That even big-name designers have jumped in on the bandwagon to come out with their own private takes on active wear either for their own labels or for popular sporting brands (Stella McCartney, Yohji Yamamoto, among others) only shows that sportswear has transcended the sweaty confines of the gym. It has become an integral part of mainstream fashion.

Juicy Couture itself almost single-handedly lifted the tracksuit from the closets of sedentary sprinters to the glitzy world of Hollywood starlets, who wore them with heels and pearls. Reebok has even announced that it's teaming up with Scarlett Johansson for a special line to be released with the season.

In these parts, T-shirts and rubber shoes have, for the longest time, been the uniform of choice of the young and the restless—and we don't mean just the grunge slacker garb. [illegible]



Contributing editor

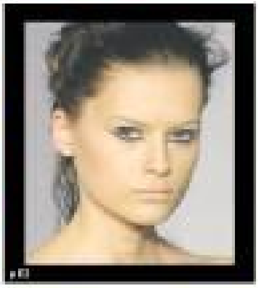
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BEAUTY









Flawless in the tropics

Makeover 911



Kissy Salas

Makeup picks



PEPPERMINT shower gel



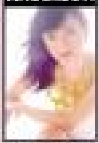
Body Shop

Great beauty Q&A



I WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYONE WHO e-mailed me through thebeauty@inquirer.com.ph. The truth is, most of my articles are really replies to what I get from the e-mail. And the suggestions and comments of readers are most helpful. So if the beauty section is any good, it is really because of the e-mail I receive.

Knockout!



Ria Francisco-Prieto

Beauty steal



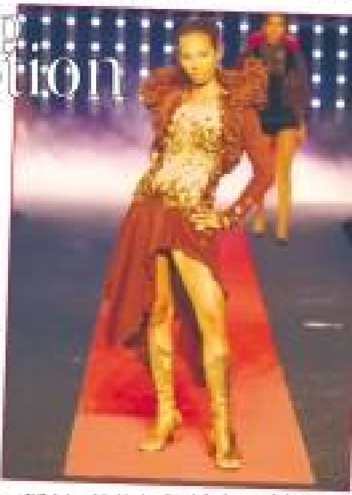
Skincare soap at 50 percent off

Makeup in motion

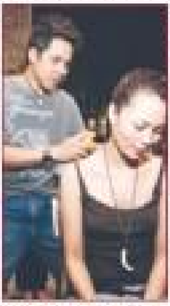
The Mega design contest shows what maquillage works on and off the runway

By Carla Sibal
Contributor

FOR ONE EVENING, the finalists for Mega's 7th Young Designer's Competition took Manila to the future. The six designers—Dave Kenin Quijano Panganiban, Joanna Allan, Eli Alexander Inglis, Randall Solomon, Venjay Flaresca, and Arles Inigo Lagat—showed "Futuristic" couture, which left the crowd impressed.



ONE of winner Arles Inigo Lagat's looks for the runway looks



HAIR styling takes a chunk of the time backstage



USING a lip brush to fill in lipstick for precision



MODEL and makeup artist learn to work as a team



MAKEUP artist working on model's eye shadow



LINING the lips to define their shape



DOUBLE duty



MODEL fixing her lashes



FALSE eyelashes are a surefire measure to open up the eyes.



FUN behind the scenes



Picture perfect

As one of the most in-demand models, the striking Yasmin Bauman is expected to be self-centered and stuck up. Although her shoot had been scheduled during lunchtime, Yasmin arrived promptly with a cheerful smile spread across her face.





SKINCARE



She is a perfect example of how healthy living keeps a woman attractive and youthful





LifeSTYLE



BLACK long sleeve top and pinstriped shorts

Boyish but sexy

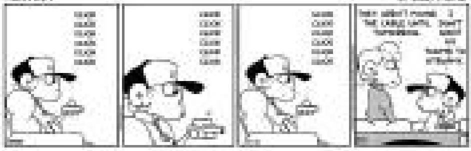
RUFFLED AND LACE TOPS, CUFFED SHORTS, tailored jackets and stretch pants are showcased in the latest fashion collection of [illegible].

The collection offers versatility to achieve the stylish "mismatched [illegible] look," the key element of the collection.

[illegible] has branches at the Power Plant Mall, Alabang Town Center, Eastwood City, SM City Pampanga, Greenhills Theater Mall, Festival Mall and in [illegible] Department Store in Shangri-La Plaza Mall.



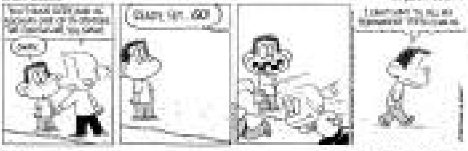
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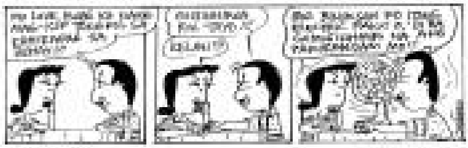
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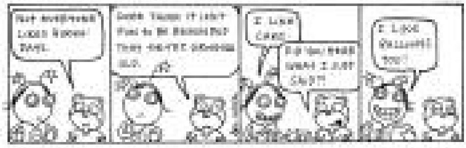
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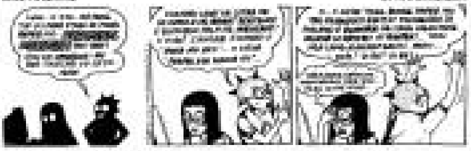
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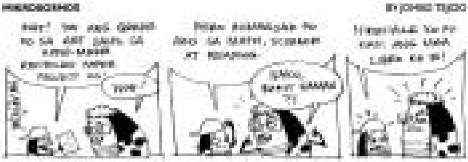
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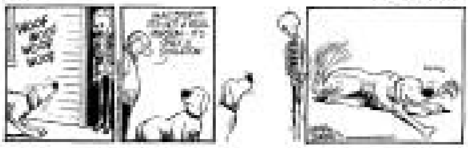
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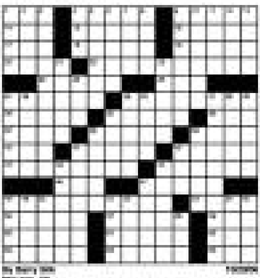
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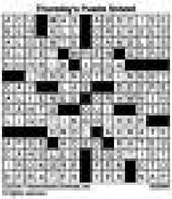


BEN BY DANIEL SHELTON



DAILY CROSSWORD





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CONCEPTIS SU DOKU

Conceptis Sudoku by Dave Green

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Difficulty Level ★★★★

HOW TO PLAY SU DOKU

Fill the grid so that every column, every row and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1 to 9.

Tips and program at www.sudoku.com

Answer to previous puzzle

Difficulty Level ★★★









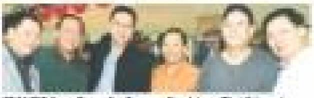
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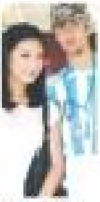
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Swiss travel gear

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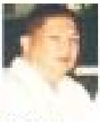




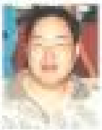












20 years of fine Filipiniana designs

WITHOUT BATTING AN EYELASH

Maurice Arcache

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LIFESTYLE

A toast to the Ultra Life

IT WAS AN EVENING OF ULTRA EXPERIences as Samsung recently honored individuals for their contributions in the fields of design and the arts. It was also a night to highlight Samsung's Ultra phone series—the D830, the world's thinnest profile (8.9mm); the D600, a minimalist, smart clamshell; and the D900, the world's slimmest 3-megapixel slider.

Led by its distinguished president and CEO for South East Asia Jang Jin Park and its vice president and chief marketing officer for South East Asia Jeong Wook Kim, Samsung laid out the red carpet for some of the country's most noteworthy fashion designers and fashionistas, prominent celebrities and members of the elite. Leading the toast to the Ultra Life was president and CEO for Samsung Philippines Spencer Shim.

Apart from the paying tribute to fashion innovator Randy Ortiz and multifaceted actor and humanitarian Jeanne Zapanta-Andrada, the Ultra Party also featured a dynamic performance by Mr. Pure Energy, the one and only Gary Valenciano. Valenciano was given a special citation by Samsung for his contributions to the music industry. He was also gifted with a special song sung by Sam Concepcion.

Beautifully decorated installations brought to life the passion of the Ultra Samsung gallery, depicting a piece of their arts and brands.

Just what is the "Ultra Life"?

As Park explains it, "Samsung has always espoused going beyond the norm. We admire people who are able to inspire simply through their desire and passion. They go beyond the limits, and continue to better themselves and their talents. That is definitely ultra."

Samsung Electronics Philippines president Spencer Shim adds, "Breaking convention to achieve something beyond the ordinary is the very philosophy of Samsung. As a service to our consumers, we are dedicated to surpassing limits. This is our passion. And this is what the Ultra Life stands for."

Angel Aquino hosted the festivities, which included a fashion presentation showcasing some of Ortiz's masterfully divine creations and Zapanta-Andrada's retrospective paintings and photographs.

Samsung's successful fete was the result of the hard work of Samsung vice president ICT for Samsung Electronics Philippines Charles Choi, together with PJ Vasilio, Mark Benny Sergio and Yasmin Marquez. Also present were other Samsung executives: Jerry Lacson, Pen Roque and Angeline Limbaco.

The ultra-beautiful, ultra-stylish crowd included ABS-CBN's Ernie Lopez with wife Jessie, Samsung's Lisa Gokongwei-Cheng, Bench's Ben Chan, Presidential [illegible] Carmen, real estate maven [illegible] Lee, [illegible] Angeli Pangilinan-Valenciano with son Paolo, [illegible] Karina [illegible] with hubby Chris [illegible], design maverick [illegible],

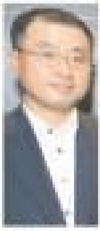
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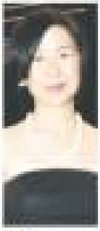
SANG Jin Park, Samsung Electronics president and CEO for South East Asia, Gary Valenciano, Angeli Pangilinan-Valenciano, and Jeong Wook Kim, VP and chief marketing officer for Samsung Electronics South East Asia



RANDY Ortiz, Jeanne Zapanta-Andrada and Spencer Shim, president and CEO of Samsung Electronics Philippines



SAMSUNG VP-ICT Charles Choi



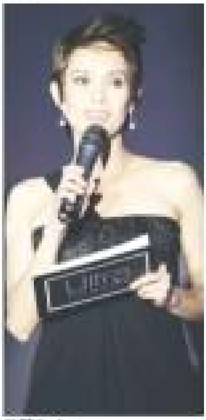
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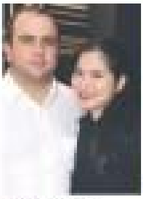
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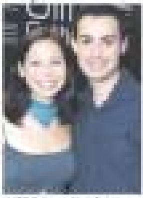
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KATRINA and Chris Fuisi



BEN Chan and Miguel Pastor



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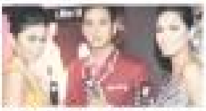
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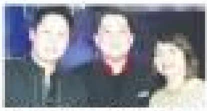
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photographer Ronnie Salvacion, iconic stylist Noeci Calupig, gorgeous couple Borgy Manotoc and Oceana Cadiano, DJ ... Tim and Cat Juan, TV personality Paolo Trillo, designer Carlo Tanseco, the ever-beautiful Judith Zapanta with husband Juanjo Berenguer-Testa, supermodel Tweetie de Leon, model-turned-beauty expert Chechel Joson, hot model Paolo Ballo, and a host of other personalities.

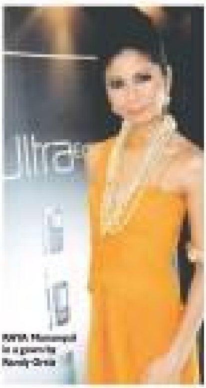
The Samsung Ultra Party is a regional effort adopted in all Southeast Asian countries to celebrate the lives of inspirational and aspirational personalities. The Philippines was the second country to host this Ultra Moment celebration.



MODELS in Randy Ortiz clothes holding the Samsung D900 and the X820



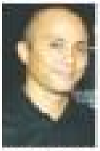
RONALD Pineda, Randy Ortiz and Thelma San Juan



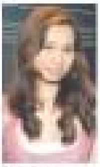
ANYA Manosalli in a gown by Randy Ortiz



MODELS also fashion by Randy Ortiz with the Samsung D900 and the X820.



ABS-CBN's Ernie Lopez



DIVINE Lee



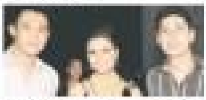
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PHILIP and Beshie Magsaysay with Chemile Sotto



LIZA Santo and Noeci Calupig



NOEL and Jaime Andrada



SHEENA ... Cruz and Denise Cortes



FABIO with Presidential costumier Ito Curata



SHAWN Yao and Rosiban Fernandez



MODEL shows off Samsung X820



FASHION by Randy Ortiz

Ultra individuals, ultra inspirations





The spirited, individual and thriving lifestyles of these leading personalities echo the cutting-edge design and function sensibilities of Samsung's new Ultra phones











THE D900 is the world's slimmest slider at 12.9 mm with a 3.2-megapixel camera and 80 mb embedded memory



THE X820 is 103 x 54 x 6.9 mm yet powerful with its 2.2" 240x320 262K color TFT display, Bluetooth, USB and TV-output features.

Redefining mobile technology



SAMSUNG D830, the world's slimmest clamshell phone, is a 9.9 mm with a 2-megapixel camera and 80-mb embedded memory.

SAMSUNG UNVEILS SLIM MOBILE PHONES that redefine the way we know cell phones.

"The Ultra Edition is ergonomically designed to become one with the user, moving beyond the limitations inherent in slim phones to embody an ideal combination of comfort, simplicity and sophistication to let users do more with less," says Spencer Shim, president and CEO of Samsung Electronics Philippines Co.

The Ultra Edition 6.9 (X820) is the world's slimmest phone. It expresses Samsung's commitment to create the slimmest and lightest product in the market today. Weighing a mere 66 g and measuring a slim 6.9-mm depth, the lightweight gadget is today's definitive tool to help users stay connected, take pictures with the 2-megapixel camera, or enjoy their favorite tunes with the music player.

Fiberglass-infused plastic is also used to increase extraordinary durability to protect the wealth of features that are compressed into the 6.9-mm frame using the Smart Surface Mounting Technology.

The Ultra Edition 12.9 (D900), meanwhile, is the world's slimmest 3-megapixel slider.

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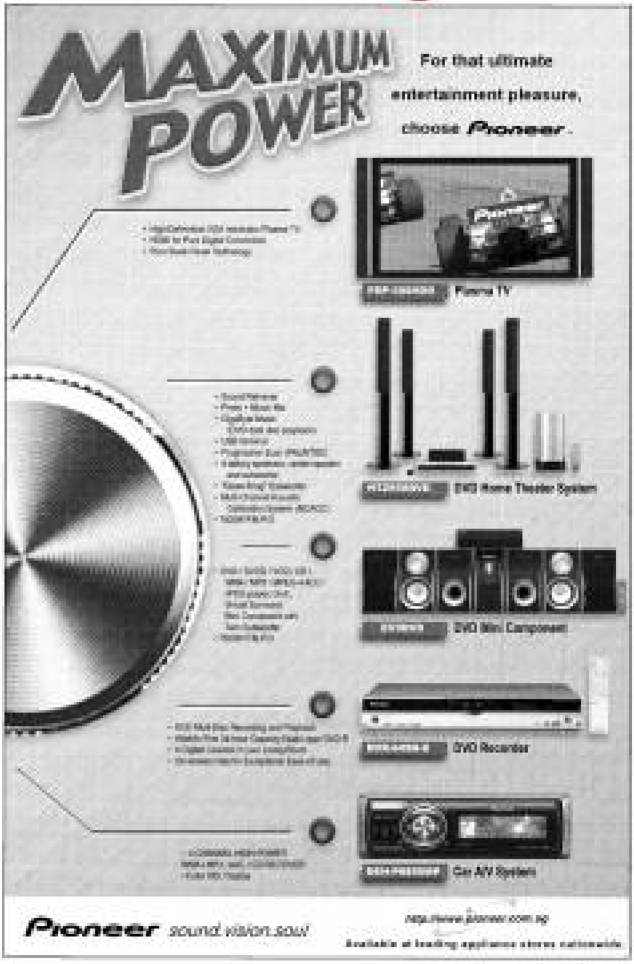




It's that time of year again when people get busy scouting for the perfect gift to give their loved ones. But this early, you might want to give yourself an early present first to kick off the gift-giving season.

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Automatic Centre kicks off the gift-giving season with the latest appliances on exhibit at the Alabang Town Center





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Katelyn Tarver's promo tour



KATELYN Tarver

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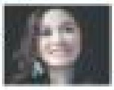






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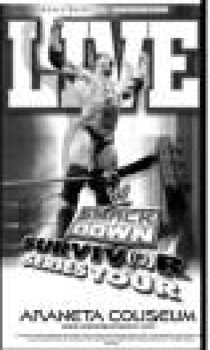
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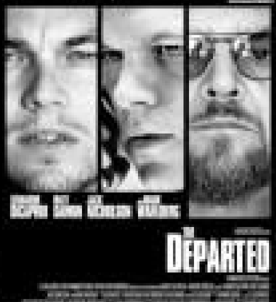


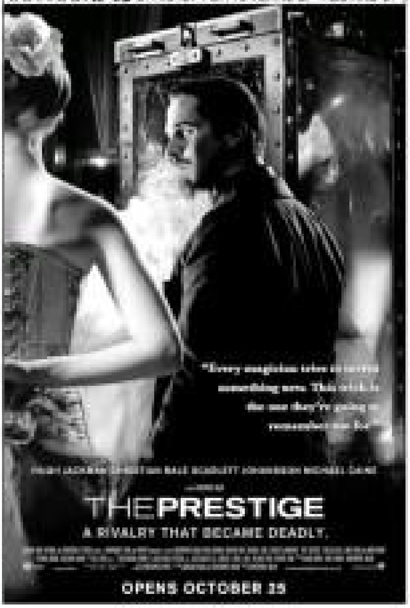
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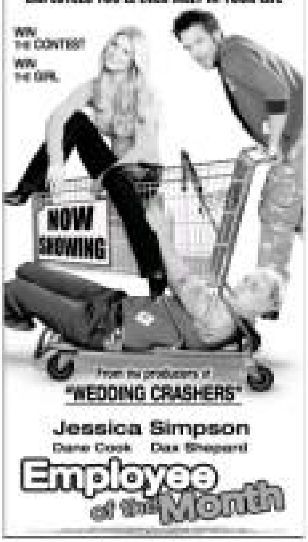
Rock 'n' roll styles rule at LA Fashion Week













Maja's 18 candles

By [illegible] Jr.

PROMISING YOUNG ACTRESS MAJA SALVADOR had three coming-out parties—on the ABS-CBN TV shows "ASAP '06" and "Home Boy" and at an intimate gathering of family and friends held at the Gazebo Royale in Quezon City.

The debutante could've danced all night on Oct. 5 at The Gazebo—and she made certain of that, in fact, by having three outfits on standby.

Maja wanted to veer away from a conventional debut.

"Instead of a formal cotillion, I wanted a party that was casual and fun. Instead of 18 roses and candles, I had 18 [illegible] and [illegible]. Instead of cake, I had cupcakes," she recounted.

Her fellow ABS-CBN stars John Lloyd Cruz, Denise Laurel, Carla Humphries and Kaye Abad were on hand to celebrate the milestone. But Maja's most special guest that evening, apart from parents [illegible] and Thelma [illegible], is rumored boyfriend and "[illegible] High" co-star Jason Abalos.

"She wasn't keen on throwing a party. But she realized that it only comes once in a lifetime. She felt special because it was her first big party," manager [illegible] said.

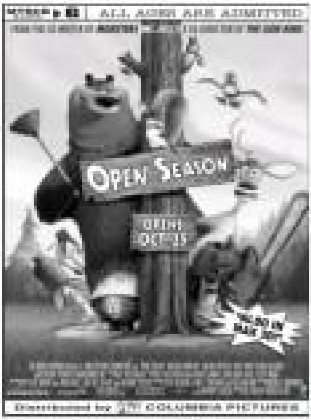


ABS-CBN [illegible], pals, [illegible] Maja with 18 presents.

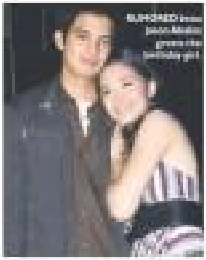












RUMORED beau Jason Abalos greets the birthday girl.



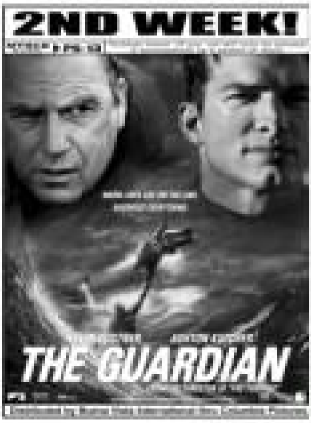
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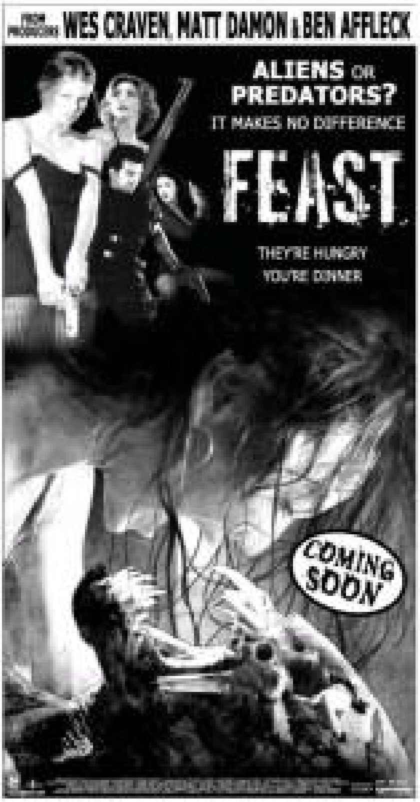


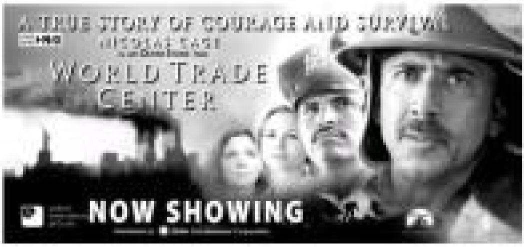
JOHN LLOYD CRUZ



DEBUTANTE with her [illegible].











KIM owns over a hundred plastic and paper bags and knows if one of them is missing.



THE PINK high heels can be merged with just about any outfit, the singer says.

Guess who hoards tags and plastic bags



KIM'S interest in singing began at 3, when she started imitating performers she sees on TV.

By Marisol R. Cruz
Photo by Jim Dolan Paredes

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KIM collects tags to keep track of all the stuff she has bought over the years.